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| a. Serial No.        | f. Foreign Priority    | k. Print Claim(s)  | p. PTO-1449    |
| b. Applicant(s)      | g. Disclaimer          | l. Print Fig.      | q. PTOL-85b    |
| c. Continuing Data   | h. Microfiche Appendix | m. Searched Column | r. Abstract    |
| d. PCT               | i. Title               | n. PTO-270/328     | s. Sheets/Figs |
| e. Domestic Priority | j. Claims Allowed      | o. PTO-892         | t. Other       |

| SPECIFICATION          | MESSAGE   |
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| a. Page Missing        | <p><u>IN the E1 amendment,</u><br/> <u>claims 3 &amp; 4 ARE canceled, but</u><br/> <u>they ARE still on the index, AND</u><br/> <u>the NOA says they're allowed.</u></p>  |
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|                        | <p><u>RESPONSE</u> <u>The documents including claims 3 and</u><br/> <u>4 as allowed claims were corrected and</u><br/> <u>are being submitted with this document.</u></p> |
|                        | <p><u>THANK YOU</u><br/> initials <u>RF</u></p>   |
|                        | <p>initials <u>MR</u></p>   |